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In re Application of:
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For: METHOD FOR MONITORING
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Examiner: C. Kaufman

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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

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This is in response to the final Office Action mailed on February 10, 2005, to which a response is due on June 10, 2005, by virtue of the enclosed Petition for Extension of Time, and payment of fees. No other fees are believed to be due in connection with the filing of this response; however, should applicants' check be deficient or missing, or any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 be deemed necessary for any reason relating to these materials, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct said fees from Fulbright & Jaworski Deposit Account No.: 50-1212/OMRF:004US/SLH.

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